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Office of Nutritional Products  
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Dear Sir or Madam:

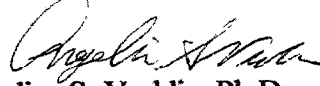
This letter will serve as a 30-day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on our Conjugated Linoleic Acid supplements under the Radiance label:

**Ingredient:** Tonalin® Safflower Oil

- Helps Reduce Body Fat when combined with a reduced calorie diet and exercise program.
- Studies demonstrate that Conjugated Linoleic Acid helps reduce body fat when used with a reduced calorie diet and exercise program.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,

  
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